

11/08/01

11048 U.S. PTO

12-07-01

A

11/08/01

| | | |
|--|--------------------------------|--|
| UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL <i>CHECK BOX, if applicable:</i> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> DUPLICATE <i>(Only for new nonprovisional applications under 37 CFR 1.53(b))</i> | <i>Attorney Docket No.:</i> | 30014200-1002 |
| | <i>First Named Inventor:</i> | Brad R. Lewis, et al. |
| | <i>Title of Invention:</i> | METHODS AND SYSTEMS FOR DEVELOPING DATA FLOW PROGRAMS |
| | <i>Express Mail Label No.:</i> | EL834558395US |

11017 U.S. PTO
10/007766

| | |
|---|--|
| APPLICATION ELEMENTS <i>See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents.</i> | ADDRESS TO: Box Patent Application Commissioner for Patents Washington, DC 20231 |
| 1. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> This Form includes the Fee Transmittal (See Box 18) (Submit an original and a duplicate for fee processing) | ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS |
| 2. <input type="checkbox"/> Applicant claims small entity status. (See 37 CFR 1.27) | 9. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Assignment Papers [Total Pages <u>2</u>] (cover sheet & document(s)) |
| 3. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Specification [Total Pages <u>62</u>] | a. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Newly executed (original or copy) |
| 4. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Drawing(s) (35 USC 113) [Total Sheets <u>38</u>] | b. <input type="checkbox"/> Copy Assignment Papers from a prior application |
| 5. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Declaration and Power of Attorney [Total Pages <u>3</u>] | 10. <input type="checkbox"/> 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement <input type="checkbox"/> Power of Attorney (when there is an assignee) |
| a. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Newly executed (original or copy) | 11. <input type="checkbox"/> English Translation Document (if applicable) |
| b. <input type="checkbox"/> Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63(d)) (for continuation/divisional with Box 18 completed) | 12. <input type="checkbox"/> Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) is enclosed: |
| c. <input type="checkbox"/> DELETION OF INVENTOR(S) Signed statement attached deleting Inventor(s) named in the prior application, see 37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b). | a. <input type="checkbox"/> IDS By Applicant (PTO/SB/08A or PTO-1449) |
| 6. <input type="checkbox"/> Application Data Sheet. See 37 CFR 1.76 | b. <input type="checkbox"/> Copies of IDS Citations are enclosed |
| 7. <input type="checkbox"/> CD-ROM or CD-R in duplicate | c. <input type="checkbox"/> Copy IDS Citations from a prior application |
| 8. <input type="checkbox"/> Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission | 13. <input type="checkbox"/> Preliminary Amendment [Total Pages <u> </u>] to 1.53(b) DIVISIONAL |
| a. <input type="checkbox"/> Computer Readable Form (CRF) | 14. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Return Receipt Postcard (properly addressed; postage prepaid) |
| b. <input type="checkbox"/> Specification Sequence Listing on: i. <input type="checkbox"/> CD-ROM or CD-R in duplicate; or ii. <input type="checkbox"/> paper | 15. <input type="checkbox"/> Certified copy of <u> </u> Priority Document: Document No. <u> </u> , filed on <u> </u> . |
| c. <input type="checkbox"/> Statement verifying identity of above copies | 16. <input type="checkbox"/> Request and Certification under 35 USC 122 |
| | a. <input type="checkbox"/> Non-publication Request (PTO/SB/35 or equivalent) |
| | b. <input type="checkbox"/> Publication Request (PTO/SB/35 or equivalent) |
| | 17. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other: |
| | a. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Express Mail Certificate No. <u>EL834558395US</u> |

18. ☐ **CONTINUING APPLICATION.** If continuing application, check appropriate box and supply the requisite information:
- a. ☐ Continuation ☐ Divisional ☒ Continuation-in-part (CIP)
- b. ☒ Prior application information: No. 09/244,138 Examiner Name: Group Art Unit:
- c. ☐ The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which an oath or declaration is supplied under Box 5b, is considered a part of the disclosure of the accompanying continuation or divisional application and is hereby incorporated by reference.

| CLAIMS | (1) FOR | (2) NUMBER FILED | (3) NUMBER EXTRA | (4) RATE | (5) BASIC FEE |
|--------|---|------------------|------------------|---------------------|---------------|
| | TOTAL CLAIMS | 26 | 6 | \$18.00 | \$740.00 |
| | INDEPENDENT CLAIMS | 7 | 4 | \$84.00 | \$336.00 |
| | ANY MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS? <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO | | | \$280.00 | \$0.00 |
| | | | | TOTAL FILING FEE | \$1,184.00 |

- d. ☒ In connection with this application, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to credit overpayments or to charge any additional fee required to Deposit Account No. 19-3140. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
- e. ☒ A check including the amount of \$1,184.00 to cover the total filing fee is enclosed.

19. ☒ **CORRESPONDENCE ADDRESS:**

Dated: November 8, 2001

SIGNATURE: John F. Nemery

John F. Nemery, (Registration No. 42,928)
SONNENSCHN NATH & ROSENTHAL
Post Office Box 061080
Wacker Drive Station, Sears Tower
Chicago, Illinois USA 60606-1080
Phone 312.876.8000
Fax 312.876.7934
Customer Number: 026263

Express Mail Certificate

Express Mail Mailing Label Number: **EL 834558395 US**
Date of Deposit: **November 8, 2001**

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee" service under 37 CFR 1.10 on the date indicated above and is addressed to the Box Patent Application, Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231.

Patent Application of Brad R. Lewis, et al. entitled "METHODS AND SYSTEMS FOR DEVELOPING DATA FLOW PROGRAMS".

1. Return Receipt Postcard;
2. Check in the amount of \$1,184.00;
3. Utility Patent Application Transmittal;
4. Express Mail Certificate;
5. Specification (62 sheets);
6. Figures (38 sheets);
7. Declaration and Power of Attorney;
8. Check in the amount of \$40.00;
9. Recordation Form Cover Sheet; and
10. Assignment.



Antonietta Musto